



"We grow together, we learn together, we will achieve our best together"

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We would like to reassure you at this unique time, that plans are in place to support your child's learning and development should they be absent during this difficult period.

Your child can continue to access learning via our online resources which may include the following:

Bug Club (phonics, reading and comprehension activities)

RMeasimaths or MyMaths (Maths activities set at a level appropriate to your child)

START Profile (Careers)

MapZone (Map resources – Independent skills and Duke of Edinburgh)

Individual school email account (access Google slides for BTEC courses)

Headspace (Mindfulness/PHSE)

Your child's username and password for these resources are included within this letter.

In addition to this, a website called TWINKL can also be used to access ideas and resources. This website is frequently used in school to support teaching and learning. You can sign up to one month's free access by following the following web address:

[www.twinkl.co.uk/offer](http://www.twinkl.co.uk/offer) and enter the code UKTWINKLHELPS.

As well as online learning we encourage you to consider a variety of fun activities and learning opportunities that can be carried out at home. A list of these can be found attached, as well as via the school website under the tab 'Home Learning'. A variety of additional educational websites are also available on the school website under the tab 'Home Learning'.

Thank you for your help and support at this time.

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Class: \_\_\_\_\_

**Maths:**

Bingo  
Cards – regular/Uno  
Dominoes  
Snakes and ladders  
Seduko  
Baking (weighing)

**English:**

**Reading:**

Reading books, magazines, newspapers, online articles, recipes.  
Books and other forms of media can be done independently, together or with your child listening.  
Class Novel currently being read with your child: \_\_\_\_\_  
Asking questions about things that have been read.  
Word searches.  
Creating own story books, taking pictures and sticking them in

**Writing:**

Keeping a diary, instructional writing, creating recipes, making your own story books writing and illustrating. Simple spelling games and wordsearches. Creating power points about topics of interest.  
There is currently a scheme called 'Postcards for Kindness', more information on this can be found at:  
[www.ageuk.org.uk/discover/2019/october/postcard-of-kindness/](http://www.ageuk.org.uk/discover/2019/october/postcard-of-kindness/)

**General ideas/PHSE/PE**

Cooking/baking  
Memory games  
Board games and family time  
Cards  
Lego  
Gardening  
Listening to music/singing/dancing  
Exercise  
Yoga/relaxation/meditation  
Simple science experiments – videos on YouTube  
Watching Newsround – [www.bbc.co.uk/newsround](http://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround)  
Life skills activities – helping clean, washing, ironing, making drinks, folding washing, hoovering, washing windows, personal hygiene routines etc.

